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GOVERNMENT OF GOA

Department of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services

Directorate of Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services

Corrigendum

No. 14-09-AH/DSPCA/2021-22/2595

Notification No. 14-9-AH/AWB/2020-21/3608 dated 22-09-2020.

Read:1. Notification No. 14-9-AH/AWB/2020-21 published in Official Gazette, Series II No. 26 dated 24th September, 2020.

The Government of Goa is pleased to carry out necessary corrections in the Memorandum of the Society of District Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals North Goa and South Goa, as follows:

In para 5 (a) of the Constitution of Management Committee for SPCA North Goa, sub para (viii) for "District Assistant Director, Animal Husbandry, North Goa-Executive Secretary" may be read as "District Assistant Director, Animal Husbandry, North Goa-Co-ordinator".

In para 5 (a) of the Constitution of Management Committee for SPCA South Goa, sub para (vii) for "District Assistant Director, Animal Husbandry, South Goa-Executive Secretary" may be read as "District Assistant Director, Animal Husbandry, South Goa-Co-ordinator".

Rest all remains unaltered.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Dr. Augustinho Misquita, Director & ex officio
Jt. Secretary (AH).

Panaji, 12th August, 2021.

Addendum

No. 14-09-AH/DSPCA/2021-22/2601

Notification No.14-9-AH/AWB/2020-21/3608 dated 22-09-2020.

Corrigendum No. 14-9-AH/DSPCA/2021-22/2595 dated 12-08-2021.

Read:1. Notification No. 14-9-AH/AWB/2020-21 published in Official Gazette, Series II No. 26 dated 24th September, 2020.

The Government of Goa is pleased to carry out necessary additions in the Memorandum of the Society of District Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals North Goa and South Goa, as follows:

In para 5 (a) of the Constitution of Management Committee, after sub para (xiii) of SPCA North Goa, following sub paras shall be added:

"(xiv) The Deputy Conservator of Wildlife Forests, North Goa – Ex-Officio Member.

(xv) Representative of Directorate of Prosecution, North Goa – Ex-Officio Member".

In para 5 (a) of the Constitution of Management Committee, after sub para (xiii) of SPCA South Goa, following sub paras shall be added:

"(xiv) The Deputy Conservator of Wildlife Forests, South Goa-Ex-Officio Member.

"(xv) Representative of Directorate of Prosecution, South Goa – Ex-Officio Member".

Rest all remains unaltered.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Dr. *Augustinho Misquita*, Director & ex officio Jt. Secretary (AH).

Panaji, 13th August, 2021.

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Department of Co-operation
Office of the Registrar of Co-operative Societies

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Order

No. 1-3-71/EST/RCS(Part) Vol.II/1296

On the recommendations of the Departmental Promotion Committee conveyed by the Goa Public Service Commission, Panaji vide letter No. COM/II/11(1)/2021/182 dated 03-08-2021, Government is pleased to promote the following officers to the post of Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Group "B" (Gazetted) in the establishment of the

Registrar of Co-operative Societies in the Pay Matrix Level 7 on regular basis with immediate effect.

Sr. No. Name of the officers

1. Shri Harish S. Naik.
2. Shri Sonu R. Gaunekar.
3. Shri R.B.N. Satardekar (PwD).

The promotion of the above officers shall be subject to further orders in writ petition No. LD-VC-CW-212-2020 before Hon'ble High Court of Bombay at Goa.

Posting order of the above officers is issued separately.

This issues with the approval of the Government.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Arvind B. Khutkar, Registrar & ex officio Jt. Secretary (Co-operative Societies).

Panaji, 13th August, 2021.

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Order

No. 1-3-71/EST/RCS(Part)/Vol.II/1297

The Government is pleased to transfer the following Group 'B' Gazetted Officers of the Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Department of Co-operation, Panaji as at column 2 below and post them in the Offices mentioned in Col. No. 4 against their names, in public interest.

Sr. No.	Name of the Officers	Present posting	Posting on transfer/ /promotion
1	2	3	4
1.	Shri Rajesh Parwar	Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Arbitration and Execution (North Goa District), Panaji with additional charge of Ponda Zone, Ponda	Transferred and posted as Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Ponda Zone, Ponda (with additional charge of VPK Urban Co-op. Credit Society Ltd., Camp Court, Ponda).
2.	Shri P. S. Sawant	Assistant Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Central Zone, Panaji	Transferred and posted as Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Headquarters, Panaji.
3.	Shri Suraj Ghaisas	Assistant Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Quepem Zone, Quepem	Transferred and posted as Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies, South Zone, Margao.
4.	Shri Harish S. Naik	Awaiting posting	Promoted and posted as Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies Central Zone, Panaji.
5.	Shri Sonu R. Gaunekar	Awaiting posting	Promoted and posted as Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Quepem Zone, Quepem.
6.	Shri R.B.N. Satardekar (PwD)	Awaiting posting	Promoted and posted as Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Arbitration and Execution, North Goa District, Panaji.

Shri Santosh P. Naik, Asstt. Registrar of Co-op. Societies, Marketing Section, Panaji shall hold additional charge of Credit-in-Charge Command Area Dev. Authority, Irrigation Dept., Gogol, Margao thereby relieving Shri Pankaj V. Marathe, Asst. Registrar Co-op. Societies, Bicholim Zone, Sankhali-Goa of the additional charge.

This issues with the approval of the Government.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Arvind B. Khutkar, Registrar & ex officio Jt. Secretary (Co-operative Societies).

Panaji, 13th August, 2021.

Department of Education, Art & Culture

Directorate of Education

Order

No. SCERT/ACAD/NEP-2020/848/2840

Ref. No.: D.E./Misc/NEP/2020-21/76 dt. 25-09-2020.

Sanction of the Government is hereby conveyed with reference to order No. D.E./Misc/NEP/2020-21/76 dated 25-09-2020 as below:

1. To extend the period of the Task Force Committee for School Education up to 31st December, 2021 from the date of completion of 3 months with reference to above order.
2. To replace the Sr. No. 04 of above referred order by Shri Bhagirath Shetye, Chairman, Goa Board of Secondary & Higher Secondary Education, Alto Porvorim in place of Shri Ramakrishna Samant, Ex Chairman, GBSHSE who has been retired on superannuation.
3. The Non-official members shall be paid sitting fees for physical meeting as per the rules in force. The expenditure shall be incurred through Goa Samagra Shiksha Teacher Education-Annual Grant Component.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Bhushan K. Sawaikar, Director of Education & ex officio Jt. Secretary (School Education).

Porvorim, 4th August, 2021.

Department of General Administration

Order

No. 14/8/2001-GAD-III/1559

On the recommendation of the Departmental Promotion Committee as conveyed by the Goa Public Service Commission vide their letter No. COM/II/11/42(20/2019/215 dated 10-08-2021, Government is pleased to promote the following Senior Assistants/Stenographer Grade-I to the post of Section Officer (Group 'B' Gazetted) in Secretariat, Porvorim, Goa, on Officiating Basis, in Level 7 of the Pay Matrix as per C.C.S. (Revised Pay) Rules, 2016, with immediate effect:-

Sr. No.	Name of the Officer
1.	Smt. Milagrina Estrochio e Braganza.
2.	Smt. Clementina Souza e Fernandes.
3.	Smt. Shreya R. Ghadi.
4.	Shri Shivdas P. Govenkar.

The above Officers are promoted on "officiating basis" against 01 Scheduled Caste and 03 Scheduled Tribe vacancies.

The above Officiating promotion shall not bestow on the promoted Officers any claim for regular promotion and service rendered on officiating basis in the Grade will not count for the purpose of seniority in that grade or for eligibility for promotion to the next higher grade.

The expenditure towards pay and allowances of the promoted Officers shall be debited to the following Budget Heads:-

Sr. No.	Name of the officers	Budget Head
1	2	3
1.	Smt. Milagrina Estrochio e Braganza	3451 – Secretariat Economic Services. 00 – 090 – Secretariat. 01 – Forest & Agriculture Department. 01 – Salaries.
2.	Smt. Clementina Souza e Fernandes	2052 – Secretariat General Services. 00 – 090 – Secretariat.

1	2	3
		06 – Planning Department.
		01 – Salaries.
3. Smt. Shreya R. Ghadi	2251 – Secretariat Social Services.	
	00 –	
	090 – Secretariat.	
	03 – Public Health Department.	
	01 – Salaries.	
4. Shri Shivdas P. Govenkar	2052 – Secretariat General Services.	
	00 –	
	090 – Secretariat.	
	05 – Revenue Department.	
	01 – Salaries.	

The above Officers are entitled for pay and allowances from the date of acceptance of promotion in relaxation to F.R. 17.

The Order of posting is being issued separately.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Shripad Arlekar, Under Secretary (GA-I).

Porvorim, 13th August, 2021.

Order

No. 14/8/2001-GAD-III/1558

On the recommendation of the Departmental Promotion Committee as conveyed by the Goa Public Service Commission vide their letter No. COM/II/11/42(20/2019/215 dated 10-08-2021, Government is pleased to promote the following Senior Assistants/Stenographers Grade-I to the post of Section Officer (Group 'B' Gazetted) in Secretariat, Porvorim, Goa, on regular basis, in Level 7 of the Pay Matrix as per C.C.S. (Revised Pay) Rules, 2016, with immediate effect:-

Sr. No.	Name of the officer
1.	Smt. Meghana K. Dessai.
2.	Smt. Jyoti L. Sawant.
3.	Smt. Vanessa D'Cunha e D'Souza.
4.	Kum. Swapnita Arjun Naik.
5.	Smt. Amita N. Gaunekar.
6.	Smt. Sneha A. Shirodkar.

The above Officers shall be on probation for a period of two years from the date of their joining the post.

The above Officials shall exercise their option for fixation of pay in the promotional grade in terms of F.R. 22(I)(a)(1) within a period of one month. The option once exercised shall be final.

The expenditure towards pay and allowances of Officers at Sr. No. 1 above shall be debited from the Budget Head from where she is presently drawing her salary and allowances.

The expenditure towards pay and allowances of the Officers at Sr. Nos. 2 to 6, shall be debited to the following Budget Heads:-

Sr. No.	Name of the officers	Budget Head
1	2	3
1. Smt. Jyoti L. Sawant		2052 – Secretariat
2. Smt. Vanessa D'Cunha e D'Souza		General Services.
		00 –
		090 – Secretariat.
		01 – Department of Personnel & A.R.
		01 – Salaries.
3. Kum. Swapnita Arjun Naik		2052 – Secretariat
4. Smt. Amita N. Gaunekar		General Services.
		00 –
		090 – Secretariat.
		03 – Finance Department.
		01 – Salaries.
5. Smt. Sneha A. Shirodkar		2251 – Secretariat
		Social Services.
		00 –
		090 – Secretariat.
		02 – Public Works & Urban Development Department.
		01 – Salaries.

The above Officers are entitled for pay and allowances from the date of acceptance of promotion in relaxation to F.R.17.

The Order of posting is being issued separately.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Shripad Arlekar, Under Secretary (GA-I).

Porvorim, 13th August, 2021.

Goa Human Rights Commission

Office of the Goa Human Rights Commission

Proceeding No. 186/2019

Jesus Devido Furtado,
JWO, Air Veteran,
House No. 2368, Nr. PHE Tank,
Borda, Goa 403 602 Complainant.

V/s

- 1) The Principal District &
Sessions Judge,
South Goa, Margao-Goa
- 2) The Director,
Directorate of Accounts,
Panaji-Goa ... Respondents.

INQUIRY REPORT/ORDER

(17th March, 2021)

The Complaint dated 17-07-2019 was inwarded in the Commission on the same day in respect of delay in pension of the Complainant after his voluntary retirement as LDC in the Civil and Criminal Court, South Goa, Margao.

2. The Complainant states that he is an Ex-serviceman who was appointed as Goa Government Employee by the District and Sessions Judge, South Goa, Margao, by Order dated 05-12-2003 and he joined his duties on 10-12-2003.

3. He was relieved on voluntary retirement on 21-01-2017 in pursuance of the Order dated 10-01-2017 of the Respondent No.1, stating that he had rendered more than 10 years of service, qualifying for pension to the Government as on date. Thereafter, he submitted his pension papers.

4. The case of the Complainant is that, a Government servant appointed in a pensionable establishment on or before 31-12-2003 and who retires from Government service with a qualifying service of 10 years or more, is eligible for pension in terms of CCS Pension Rule 49(2). Accordingly, he prayed that the pension may be released which he is deprived of and he feels that he is being victimized.

5. On perusing the complaint, the Commission by Order dated 19-07-2019 called for the report from the Respondents.

6. The Respondent No. 2, the Director of Accounts, filed his reply on 16-08-2019. They stated that the Complainant has completed a qualifying service of 10 years based on the entry in his service book. They stated that the Respondent No. 1 stood

relieved from his duties from 21-01-2017 accepting his notice for voluntary retirement in terms of Rule 5(i) of the State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000.

7. The Respondent No. 2 states that the pension case of the Complainant was returned back to the Respondent No. 1 by letter dated 05-02-2018 seeking clarifications as regards sanction of pensionary benefits in terms of Rule 5(i) of the State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 and the pension case was re-submitted by Respondent No. 1 by letter dated 05-03-2018 stating that the Respondent No. 1 has conveyed that the pensionary benefits have been sanctioned to the Complainant, as per Rule 49(2) of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

8. The Respondent No. 2 states that the benefits of Rule 49(2) of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 apply to the Government servant who retires under the provisions of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 and since the Complainant stands retired voluntarily under the Goa State Civil Service (Retirement) Rules, 2000, he is not entitled for pension under the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

9. The Respondent No. 2 states that the State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 do not specify as to how the pensionary benefits are to be regulated and they returned the pension papers back to Respondent No. 1 by letter dated 13-07-2018 and the same was not re-submitted by Respondent No. 1 till date.

10. The Respondent No. 2 states that the delay in finalizing and settlement of pensionary benefits is not caused on the part of the Respondent No. 2.

11. The Respondent No.1 filed their reply dated 19-08-2019 giving details in respect of the pension papers of the Complainant. They referred to the letter dated 17-08-2016 from the Dy. Director, Directorate of Accounts, Panaji informing that the department is not the competent authority to examine and clarify the subject matter.

The Respondent No.1 has stated that the application for retirement of the Complainant in terms of Rule 5(i) of the Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 was accepted and the Complainant was relieved on 21-01-2017 to proceed on voluntary retirement.

12. The Respondent No.1 states that on return of the pension papers by the Respondent No. 2 by letter dated 13-07-2018, the Office of the Senior Civil Judge & CJM, Margao was requested to depute the responsible Head Clerk to the Directorate of Accounts with regard to the

observations and compliance of the pension case papers.

13. The Respondent No.1 states that on 08-01-2019, Shri Thomas Silva, Head Clerk was deputed to the Directorate of Accounts and he was informed that the Complainant, who had retired in terms of Rule 5(i) of the Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 is not entitled for pension as he has not completed the required number of years of service for pension and if required, the Respondent No. 1 may approach the Government for further necessary action.

14. The Respondent No.1 states that, accordingly, the Senior Civil Judge & CJM forwarded the Complainant's letter dated 14-03-2019 to the Finance Department (Revenue & Control), Panaji, through the Department of Law & Judiciary, Porvorim-Goa and requested the Secretary (Finance) Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa to look into the matter and do the needful at the earliest.

15. In the course of the proceedings, the Complainant had filed an application to produce additional documents dated 11-09-2020. The Commission passed Order thereon that the relevancy of the documents will be kept open for consideration at the final stage.

16. At the stage of final arguments, written arguments were filed by the Advocate Shri Crizanto Fernandes for the Complainant and he was also heard in the matter. Advocate Ms. Harsha Naik argued on behalf of the Respondents.

17. The Commission has gone through the records and proceedings and the documents relied on by the parties, as well as considered the oral and written submissions.

18. The Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 under Rule 3(5)(i) reads as under:

"Any Government servant may, by giving notice of not less than three months in writing to the appropriate authority, retire from service after he has attained the age of fifty years if he is in Group 'A' or Group 'E' service or post (and had entered Government service before attaining the age of thirty five years) and in all other cases, after he has attained the age of fifty five years".

19. As seen from the above rule, any Government servant may by giving notice of not less than 3 months, retire from services after attaining the age of 55 years. As the Complainant had retired from

Government services on 21-01-2017, after attaining the age of 55 years, there is no dispute that he retired in terms of Rule 3(5)(i) of Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000. There is no dispute in this respect. As seen from the reply of the Respondent No. 1, the Complainant's notice dated 20-10-2016 of his intention to retire from Government services was accepted by the Respondent No. 1 noting that he had rendered more than 10 years service qualifying for pension. The Notice was in terms of Rule 3(5)(i) of the Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 and he was relieved from duties w.e.f. 21-01-2017 (forenoon).

20. On the Respondent No. 2 seeking clarifications from the Respondent No. 1, the Respondent No.1 informed the Respondent No. 2 by letter dated 19-03-2018, that the pensionary benefits have been sanctioned to the Complainant as per Rule 49(2) of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

21. Rule 49(2) of the CCS Rules, 1972, reads as under:

"Rule 49(2) of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 provides that a Government servant is entitled to receive pension on retirement only after the completion of the qualifying service of 10 years.

The relevant extract of Rule 49 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 is reproduced hereunder for ready reference:

"49. Amount of Pension (1) In the case of a Government servant retiring in accordance with the provisions of these rules before completing qualifying service of ten years, the amount of service gratuity shall be calculated at the rate of half month's emoluments for every completed six monthly period of qualifying service.

(2) (a) In the case of a Government servant retiring in accordance with the provisions of these rules after completing qualifying service of not less than thirty-three years, the amount of pension shall be calculated at fifty per cent of average emoluments, subject to a maximum of four thousand and five hundred rupees per mensem;

(b) In the case of a Government servant retiring in accordance with the provisions of these rules before completing qualifying service of thirty-three years, but after completing qualifying service of ten years, the amount of pension admissible under Clause (a) and in no case

the amount of pension shall be less than Rupees three hundred and seventy-five per mensem; ...".

22. On the Complainant's fresh letter dated 22-03-2019 to the Respondent No.1 to refer his case to the Finance Department, the Respondent No. 1 by letter dated 13-05-2019 forwarded the complaint through the Law & Judiciary Department to the Finance Department. In turn the Law Department by letter dated 14-02-2019 forwarded the copy of the representation alongwith enclosures to the Finance Secretary.

23. On going through the additional documents submitted by the Complainant with the application dated 11-09-2020, obtained under RTI, the Commission finds that the representation dated 22-03-2019 of the Complainant was placed before the Finance department relating to delay in pension and was forwarded to the Directorate of Accounts for obtaining details.

24. The Directorate of Accounts had put their recommendation that the benefits of Rule 49(2) can be extended to only those who retire under the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 and as the present Complainant is retired in terms of Rule 5(i) of the State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000, Rule 49(2) is not applicable in the present case.

25. The same was examined by the Finance Department calling for comments of the Personnel Department as to how the pensionary benefits are to be regulated of those employees who voluntarily retire in terms of the Retirement Rules, 2000 and the Personnel Department have endorsed their Notes, at page 8/N, 9/N & 10/N of the said file No. 21-1-2019.

26. After observing that the Directorate of Accounts holds that the Complainant is not entitled for pension under Rule 49(2) of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972, the Personnel Department has submitted that the Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 does not specify the manner of regulating the pensionary benefits to such employees who have retired in terms of these rules.

27. At Serial No. 15, the following has been noted by the Personnel department:

"The Goa State Civil Services (Retirement) Rules, 2000 were framed to substitute the relevant provisions of FR-56 as laid down under these Rules. It therefore means that other provisions of FR & SR would apply to Government

Servants in the State but for the corresponding portion of FR 56 as contained therein".

This is totally true as under Rule 4(i), in respect of "Cessation and Saving", on and from coming into force of the Goa Rules, the provisions of FR 56 shall cease to apply to all the employees in Group 'A', 'B', 'C' & 'D' posts under the Government of Goa. Thus, the Goa Rules only substituted the relevant provision of FR 56, which itself was in respect of compulsory/voluntary retirement of Government servants.

28. The Joint Secretary (Personnel) of the Personnel Department had noted at Sr. No.17, that the Directorate of Accounts have settled all other cases for pensionary benefits though the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 does not amply cover cases of employees returning in terms of Goa State Civil Service (Retirement) Rules, 2000.

29. In the concluding Note No.18, in page 10/N, it has been stated as under:

"It will be therefore appropriate to advert the implied interpretation in the above cases to the case of Shri Jesue Deuido Furtado and grant him pension in accordance with Rule 49 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972".
(Emphasis added)

30. The interpretation of the Personnel Department has been approved by the Chief Secretary on 10-12-2019 and by the Hon'ble Chief Minister on 11-12-2019, i.e. by the Goa Government, i.e. by the Competent Authority. The issue involved herein required interpretation of the pension rules. The matter being service related as per the rules of business is within the competence of the Personnel Department to interpret and adjudicate in the matter. Thus, the interpretation of the Personnel Department on the issue in dispute having been approved by the Hon'ble Chief Minister, as the Minister for Personnel, attained finality and settled the disputed issue.

31. On the file, coming back to the Finance Department, it was noted that the Joint Secretary (Personnel) has examined the matter vide notings at pages 8/N to 10/N and has concluded that the pension may be granted to Shri J. D. Furtado in accordance with the Rule 49(2) of the CCS Pension Rules, 1972. The file was then referred to Accounts for examination of the matter.

32. Thereupon the Directorate of Accounts again made a detailed note dated 19-06-2020, that the matter may be re-examined, as there will be two

concurrent voluntary Retirement Rules/Schemes and the regulation of pensionary benefits would be contradictory. As already pointed out above, the matter was examined by the Joint Secretary (Personnel) and approved by the Government of Goa, the decision of the Personnel Department being approved by the Chief Secretary and the Hon'ble Chief Minister, and thus decided the matter in favour of the Complainant. Yet the Complainant has been harassed by the non-payment of his pension.

33. On going through the records, the Commission finds that the Complainant has been made to run from pillar to post and yet his pension has not been paid to him for last over 4 years after his retirement on 21-01-2017. The Complainant had joined the "Goa Government Services on 10-12-2003 after earlier having been an Ex-Serviceman and Veteran from the Indian Air Force and having served in the Air Force for 20 years and who was discharged on 31-12-1999. Thereafter, he served in the Civil Court at Margao for 13 years, 1 month and 12 days, as on 21-01-2017, when he retired. By non-payment of his pension dues for over 4 years and till date, his human rights have been and continue to be violated, resulting in his undue harassment.

34. At this stage, the Commission would consider it appropriate to refer to the Judgments of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in respect of payments of pension.

35. The Supreme Court of India in **D.S. Nakara & Others vs. Union of India, AIR 1983 SC 130**, has made the following observations on right to pension.

"The antiquated notion of pension being a bounty or a gratuitous payment depending upon the sweet will or grace of the employer not claimable as a right and therefore, no right to pension can be enforced through Court has been swept under the carpet by the decision of the Constitution Bench in Deoki Nandan Prasad v. State of Bihar & Ors. (1971) 2 SCC 330, wherein this Court authoritatively ruled that pension is a right and the payment of it does not depend upon the discretion of the Government but is governed by rules and a Government servant coming within those rules is entitled to claim pension".

36. In **State of Jharkhand & Ors. Vs. Jitendra Kumar Srivastava & Anr, (2013) 12 SCC 210**, the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, referred to the above case and held as under:

" 7. It is an accepted position that gratuity and pension are not the bounties. An employee earns these benefits by dint of his long, continuous, faithful and un-blemished service. Conceptually it is so lucidly described in **D.S. Nakara and Ors. Vs. Union of India, (1983) 1 SCC 305** by Justice D. A. Desai, who spoke for the Bench, in his inimitable style, in the following words:

"The approach of the respondents raises a vital and none too easy to answer, question, as to why pension is paid. And why was it required to be liberalised? Is the employer, which expression will include even the State, bound to pay pension? Is there any obligation on the employer to provide for the erstwhile employee even after the contract of employment has come to an end and the employee has ceased to render service?

What is a pension? What are the goals of pension? What public interest or purpose, if any, it seeks to serve?

If it does seek to serve some public purpose, is it thwarted by such artificial division of retirement pre and post a certain date? We need seek answer to these and incidental questions so as to render just justice between parties to this petition. The antiquated notion of pension being a bounty, a gratuitous payment depending upon the sweet will or grace of the employer not claimable as a right and, therefore, no right to pension can be enforced through Court, has been swept under the carpet by the decision of the Constitution Bench in **Deoki Nandan Prasad V. State of Bihar and Ors. [1971] Su. S.C.R. 634**, wherein this Court authoritatively ruled that pension is a right and the payment of it does not depend upon the discretion of the Government but is governed by the rules and a Government servant coming within those rules is entitled to claim pension.

It was further held that the grant of pension does not depend upon anyone's discretion. It is only for the purpose of quantifying the amount having regard to service and other allied matters that it may be necessary for the authority to pass an order to that effect but the right to receive pension flows to the officer not because of any such order but by virtue of the rules. This view was reaffirmed in **State of Punjab and Anr. V. Iqbal Singh (1976) IILLJ 377SC"**.

It is thus hard earned benefit which accrues to an employee and is in the nature of "property". This right to property cannot be taken away without the due process of law as per the provisions of Article 300A of the Constitution of India."

37. Guided by the above case laws and the fact that the issue as regards to eligibility of the Complainant for pension, had been finally adjudicated by the Competent Authority, i.e. by the Personnel Department, the Respondent No. 2 could not have raised any objection to the said decision, which objection has caused further delay in release of the pension of the Complainant. Hence, the Commission finds that it is appropriate to recommend to the Respondent No. 2 to forthwith disperse the pension alongwith arrears of the pension of the Complainant in accordance with Rule 49 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972.

38. In view of the delay in payment of the pension dues, the Ld. Advocate for the Complainant sought that appropriate interest be awarded to the Complainant.

39. To consider the same, the following decisions would be relevant to be quoted.

The Honourable Supreme Court in the case of **(Dr. Uma Agarwal Vs. State of U.P. and another) 1999 (3) Supreme Court Cases 438**, held that when there is delay in disbursement of the pensionary benefits, the department is liable to pay interest thereof. In Para No. 5 to 7 of the said case, it was held as follows:-

"5. If rules/instructions which prescribe time schedule for settling of retirement dues, are followed strictly, much of litigation can be avoided and retired Government servants would not feel harassed. Pension is not a bounty but right of a Government servant. Government is obliged to follow rules. Delay in settling retiral benefits is frustrating and must be avoided at all costs. Such delays are occurring even in regard to family pensions for which too, there is a prescribed procedure. This indeed is unfortunate. In cases where a retired government servant claims interest for delayed payment, the Court can certainly keep in mind time schedule prescribed in the rules/instructions, apart from other relevant factors applicable to a case.

6. The present case is a clear example of inexcusable department delay. Respondents contend that letters were sent to the

petitioner after her retirement seeking some information for settling her retirement dues but this is denied by the petitioner. Even if it is assumed that such letters were sent, this cannot be an excuse for lethargy of the department because rules/instructions provide for initiation of process much before retirement. The exercise which was to be completed much before retirement was in fact started long after petitioner's retirement.

7. This is a fit case for awarding interest to the petitioner. It is however not necessary that the matter should go back to the Government for computation of interest. Instead, on the facts of this case, interest is quantified at Rs. 1 lakh. The same shall be paid to the petitioner within two months.".....

40. Similarly, in the case of **(D.D. Tewari (dead) through legal representatives Vs. Uttar Haryana Bulivitrans Nigam Limited and others) (2014) 8 Supreme Court Cases 894** the Honourable Supreme Court held that denial of interest from the date of entitlement till the date of actual disbursement would take away the valuable rights of the retired government servant. It was reiterated in that decision that pension and gratuity are not bounty to be distributed by Government to its employees on their retirement, but are valuable rights and property in its hands and any culpable delay in settlement and disbursement thereof is to be visited with penalty of payment of interest.

41. In the case of **(State of Kerala and others Vs. V. Padmanabhan Nair) (1985) 1 Supreme Court Cases 429**, it was held that prompt payment of retirement benefits is the duty of the Government and any failure in that direction will entail the Government liable to pay penal interest to the Government servant. It was further held that gratuity should be paid on the date of retirement or on the following day and pension should be paid at the expiry of the following month. In that case, the Supreme Court, finding that there was delay in disbursement of the terminal benefits, directed the respondents therein to disburse the pensionary benefits with interest at the rate of 6% per annum.

42. It is very important to refer to the landmark judgment of the Supreme Court, in the case of **Union of India V. Tarmen Singh, (2008) 8 SCC 648**, wherein it was observed that if the issue relates to payment or refixation of pay or pension, relief may be granted inspite of delay as it does not

affect the rights of third parties.

It held as under:-

"That the right of a retired employee to get his retiral dues on the date of attaining superannuation is a valuable right which accrues in his favour on the date of his attaining superannuation. Further, pension is no more considered to be a bounty to be handed out by the State at its whim. An employee has a right to receive pension upon retirement. If payment of such pension is delayed, the retired employee is surely entitled to get some interest for such delayed payment.

Pension and gratuity are aimed at maintaining the life of a retired employee and his/her dependents, these are welfare provisions and even if there is delay on the part of a retired employee to approach the Court claiming interest on delayed payment of pensionary benefits, the delay per se should not be the ground for rejection of the writ petition. No third party interest will be affected by a direction on the State to compensate the retired employee for delayed payment of pensionary benefits by paying interest at a reasonable rate."

43. In **Civil Appeal No. 399 of 2021, The State of Andhra Pradesh and Another, Versus Smt. Dinavahi Lakshmi Kameswari**, decided on 8th February, 2021, the Supreme Court directed that interest shall be paid to all pensioners of the State at the rate of 6% per annum on the deferred portion, for the period of delay.

44. Based on the above case laws and in the facts of the present case and in terms of Section 18(a)(i) of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993, the Commission recommends that the Respondent No. 2 shall make payments of the arrears of pension to the Complainant, Shri Jesus Devido Furtado, due from 21-01-2017, in accordance with Rule 49 of the CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972, within 60 days from today and his future pensions be paid in accordance with law. The Commission recommends that all the arrears of the pension due from 21-01-2017 be paid to the Complainant with simple interest thereon of 6% per annum from the due dates till final payment, within 60 days from today.

Accordingly, the Proceedings stand disposed of.

Panaji, 17th March, 2021.

Sd/-	Sd/-	Sd/-
(Justice U. V. Bakre)	(Desmond D'Costa)	(Pramod V. Kamat)
Chairperson	Member	Member
Goa Human Rights Commission.	Goa Human Rights Commission.	Goa Human Rights Commission.

Before The Goa Human Rights Commission,
Panaji-Goa

Proceeding No. 186/2019/281

Shri Jesus Devido Furtado,
JWO, Air Veteran,
House No. 2368, Nr. PHE Tank,
Borda, Goa 403 602 ... Complainant.

V/s

- 1) Principal District & Sessions Judge,
South Goa, Margao
- 2) Director,
Directorate of Accounts,
Panaji-Goa ... Respondents.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR

REPLY ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENT No. 2

The Respondent No. 2 herein states and submits as follows before this Hon'ble Commission in response to the Inquiry Report/Order dated 17-03-2021 in the above proceedings.

As stated in reply filed by this Respondent the above Inquiry Report/Order dated 17-03-2021 was submitted to the Government for perusal and necessary directions in the matter.

Now, the file submitted has been received back by this Respondent on 28-07-2021 wherein it is directed by the Government that Shri Jesus Devido Furtado may be granted pension and pensionary benefits by invoking the provisions of Rule 88 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 i. e. Power to relax as a special case to avoid further hardship to the incumbent. Further, the Government has specifically stated the case of Shri Furtado shall not set as precedence to any such future cases (copy enclosed). Accordingly, this Respondent is in the process of doing further needful in the matter.

Furthermore, the Pension case of Shri Furtado has not yet been resubmitted to this Directorate after compliance of the observation raised vide return Memo No. DA/PA-I/PENS(13)/14 dated 15-04-2021.

Place: Panaji-Goa

Dated:

Sd/-

Respondent No. 2,
Director of Accounts.

No. DA/PA-1/Pens(13)/2021-2022/TR-03 dated 30-07-2021.

Department of Labour

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Notification

No. 28/2/2021-LAB/398

The following Corrigendum in Ref. No. ITLC/IT/32/09/2021 issued by the Presiding Officer, Industrial Tribunal and Labour Court, at Panaji-Goa on 28-07-2021 to Award in Case No. IT/32/09 dated 25-05-2021 is hereby published as required under Section 17 of the Industrial Disputes Act, 1947 (Central Act 14 of 1947).

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Amalia O. F. Pinto, Under Secretary (Labour).

Porvorim, 11th August, 2021.

Industrial Tribunal and Labour Court

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Corrigendum

No. ITLC/(IT/32/09/2021

Read: Award in Case No. IT/32/09 dated 25-05-2021.

1. In Award No. IT/32/09 dated 25-05-2021 at page 1, in the Cause Title, the following has been typed:

"M/s G. K. B. Vision Ltd.,
27 & 28, Pilerne Industrial Estate,
Pilerne-Goa ... Employer/Party II.

The same may be read as follows:

M/s GKB Ophthalmics Ltd.,
16-A, Thivim Industrial Estate,
Mapusa, Bardez-Goa ... Employer/Party II.

2. In para 8 of the same Award at page 15, at line 4, 19 and 20 instead of "GKB Ophthalmics Employees Union", the Union is named as GKB Vision Employees Union. The same is corrected and may please be read as "GKB Ophthalmics Employees Union".

Bela Naik, Presiding Officer (Industrial Tribunal & Labour Court).

Panaji, 28th July, 2021.

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Department of Law & Judiciary

Law (Establishment) Division

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Order

No. 2/65/2016-LD(Estt)/1756

Read: 1. Order No. 2/65/2016-LD(Estt)/1673 dated 06-08-2021.
2. Order No. 2/65/2016-LD(Estt)/1872 dated 25-10-2016.
3. Order No. 2/65/2016-LD(Estt)/1837 dated 12-11-2020.

In partial modification to order 1, read in the preamble, the Government of Goa is hereby pleased to assign charge/additional charge and posting of the following Civil Registrar-cum-Sub Registrar, Group 'B', Gazetted Officers of Registration, in public interest:-

Sr. No.	Name of officials	Present place of posting	To hold charge as mentioned below
1.	Smt. Aarti A. Parvatkar	Jt. Civil Registrar-cum-Sub Registrar, Tiswadi-I	She shall hold charge of Joint Civil Registrar-cum-Sub-Registrar, Bardez-I, during the leave period of Smt. Soniya Sidhyesh Halarnkar.
2.	Shri Tushan Gurudas Kunkolienkar	Jt. CRSR, O/o District Registrar (North), on working arrangement basis in the O/o State Registrar-cum-Head of Notary Services	To hold charge of Civil Registrar-cum-Sub Registrar, Headquarters, in addition to his own duties i.e. Jt. CRSR, O/o District Registrar (North).

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Amalia O. F. Pinto, Under Secretary (Law-Estt.).

Porvorim, 17th August, 2021.

Department of Personnel

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Order

No. 6/13/2011-PER/1948

Read: Order No. 6/13/2011-PER/1932 dated 09-08-2021.

As per the directives of the Government, the transfer & postings of Junior Scale Officers of Goa Civil Service ordered vide order read in preamble shall be kept in abeyance until further orders.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Meghana Shetgaonkar, Joint Secretary (Personnel).

Porvorim, 11th August, 2021.

Order

No. 22/10/2018-PER/1987

The Governor of Goa is pleased to order transfer and posting of the following IPS and Goa Police Officers, with immediate effect, in public interest:

Sr. No.	Name of the Officer with designation	Posted as
1	2	3
1.	Shri Nidhin Valsan, IPS, Awaiting posting	SP (SPCR) with additional charge of SP (General Administration, DGP Office) and SP (Wireless).
2.	Shri Shekhar Prabhudessai, SP (Training)	SP (Training) with additional charge of Dy. Commandant Home Guard & Civil Defence and SP (FRRO).

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Maya Pednekar, Under Secretary (Personnel-II).

Porvorim, 13th August, 2021.

Order

No. 7/8/74-PER (Vol-I)/1990

On the recommendation of the Departmental Promotion Committee as conveyed by the Goa Public Service Commission vide its letter No. COM/II/11/45(1)/2021/88 dated 18-06-2021, the Governor

of Goa is pleased to promote Shri Vasant Mohan Prabhu Desai, Deputy Director (Physical Education and Youth Services) to the post of Director in the Directorate of Sports and Youth Affairs (Group 'A' Gazetted) in the Level-12 as per CCS (Revised Pay), Rules, 2016 on regular basis with immediate effect.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Maya Pednekar, Under Secretary (Personnel-II).

Porvorim, 16th August, 2021.

Order

No. 7/8/74-PER (Vol-I)/1999

Read: Order No. 7/8/74-PER(Vol-I)/dated 16-08-2021.

In pursuance to the order read in the preamble above, Shri Vasant Mohan Prabhu Desai, Director, Directorate of Sports and Youth Affairs shall continue as Executive Director (Sports Authority of Goa) on deputation.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Maya Pednekar, Under Secretary (Personnel-II).

Porvorim, 17th August, 2021.

Department of Planning

Directorate of Planning, Statistics & Evaluation

Order

No. DPSE/I/ADMN/Filling-Dy. Dir/2019/1532

On recommendation of the Goa Public Service Commission vide their letter No. COM/II/11/38(1)/2013/181 dated 03-08-2021, Government is pleased to promote the following Statistical Officer, Group B, Gazetted of the Goa Common Statistical Cadre of this Directorate to the post of Deputy Director, Group "A" Gazetted in the scale of pay of Level 10 (56,100-1,77,500) in the VII Pay Commission Pay Matrix.

Sr. No.	Name of the Officer	Present posting	Promoted & posted
1.	Ms. Neumani M. Rodrigues	Directorate of Planning, Statistics & Evaluation, Porvorim	Directorate of Planning, Statistics & Evaluation in Co-ordination Division.

The above post is filled on regular basis against the vacant post of Smt. Priti Dessai who has retired on superannuation on 28-02-2021.

The Officer shall exercise option to fix her pay in terms of F.R. 22 (1)(A)(1) within one month from the date of promotion, if desired/applicable.

The officer is under probation for a period of 2 (two) years.

This issue with the Government approval U.O. 2639/F dated 12-08-2021.

Ms. Neumani M. Rodrigues is required to submit her joining report for record.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Dr. Y. Durga Prasad, Director & ex officio Jt. Secretary (Planning).

Porvorim, 17th August, 2021.

Corrigendum

No. DPSE/III/CSPCC/187/2021/1540

Read: Notification No. DPSE/III/CSPCC/2014/4264 dated 08-10-2015.

In the above referred Notification, Sr. No. 1 may be read as "Principal Secretary (Planning)" instead of "Commissioner & Secretary (Planning)".

All other contents in the above referred Notification remains the same.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Dr. Y. Durga Prasad, Director & ex officio Jt. Secretary.

Porvorim, 18th August, 2021.

Department of Public Health

Order

No. 8/1/2021-III/PHD/1513

Government is pleased to accept the resignation tendered vide letter dated 20-04-2021 by Dr. Narendra Nath Samantaray, Assistant Professor in Clinical Psychology at Institute of Psychiatry and Human Behaviour, Bambolim, and to relieve him from the post of Assistant Professor in Clinical Psychology w.e.f. 19-05-2021 (f.n.).

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Gautami Parmekar, Under Secretary (Health-I)//(Link).

Porvorim, 11th August, 2021.

Order

No. 8/68/91-II/PHD/1528

Government is pleased to accept the notice of voluntary retirement dated 24-06-2021 tendered by Dr. Avril Dias, Associate Professor, Department of Pathology, Goa Medical College under Rule 48 of CCS (Pension) Rules, 1972 and to relieve her from the post Associate Professor, Department of Pathology, Goa Medical College w.e.f. 01-11-2021 (f.n.).

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Gautami S. Parmekar, Under Secretary (Health)//(Link).

Porvorim, 12th August, 2021.

Order

No. 44/16/2016-I/PHD/Part-I/1842

Government is pleased to transfer the following doctors under Directorate of Health Services with immediate effect:-

Sr. No.	Name of the doctor	Present place of posting	Transferred at
1.	Dr. Uma Sadekar, Medical Officer	State Family Welfare, Directorate of Health Services	Lady Medical Officer, State Family Welfare, Directorate of Health Services.

1	2	3	4
			In place of Dr. Lalita Umraskar who is promoted as Health Officer.
2.	Dr. Prashant Suryavanshi, Medical Officer	Hospicio Hospital, Margao	State Family Welfare, Directorate of Health Services vice Dr. Uma Sadekar.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Gautami S. Parmekar, Under Secretary (Health).

Porvorim, 12th August, 2021.

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Department of Public Works
Office of the Principal Chief Engineer

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Order

No. 40/2/2021/PCE-PWD-Tech.Cell/149

Government is pleased to order the transfer of the following Assistant Engineer to the places shown against their names in column No. 4 below, with immediate effect, until further orders.

Sr. No.	Name of the Officer	Present place of posting	Place of posting on transfer
1	2	3	4
1.	Shri Sanjay Perni	Assistant Engineer, DRDA (North), Panaji (on deputation)	As Assistant Surveyor of Works, Office of the Superintending Surveyor of Works, SW-I, Tech. Cell, PWD, Altinho, Panaji-Goa in the existing vacancy.
2.	Shri Ajay P. Raikar	Assistant Engineer, SGPDA, Margao-Goa (Repatriated from deputation)	As Assistant Surveyor of Works, Circle Office I, PWD, Altinho, Panaji-Goa in the existing vacancy.
3.	Shri J. B. Braganza	Assistant Engineer, on deputation to Department of Tourism, Panaji	As Assistant Surveyor of Works, Office of the Superintending Surveyor of Works, SW-I (R&B), Design Cell, PWD, Altinho, Panaji-Goa in the existing vacancy.
4.	Shri Pritesh Naik	Assistant Engineer, SD-IV, Div.-V, PWD, Patto, Pernem-Goa	As Assistant Engineer, SD-I, Div. VII, PWD, Patto, Panaji-Goa, vice Shri Dattaraj S. Pai Kakode, A.E. transferred.
5.	Shri Dattaraj S. Pai Kakode	Assistant Engineer, SD-I, Div. VII, PWD, Patto, Panaji-Goa	As Assistant Engineer, SD-IV, Div. V, PWD, Patto, Pernem-Goa vice Shri Pritesh Naik, A.E. transferred.
6.	Shri Anthony Rodrigues	Assistant Engineer, SD-II, Div. XIII, PWD, Mapusa-Goa	As Assistant Surveyor of Works, Div-II, PWD, Panaji-Goa vice Shri Robert V. De Souza, ASW transferred.

1	2	3	4
7.	Shri Robert V. De Souza	Assistant Surveyor of Works, Div II, PWD, Panaji-Goa	As Assistant Engineer, SD-II, Div. XIII, PWD, Mapusa-Goa vice Shri Anthony Rodrigues, A.E. transferred.

The Officer at Sr. No. 2 above, who has been repatriated from the SGPDA (South), Margao and joined in the Department on 18-06-2021 b.n., shall draw his pay and allowances w.e.f. 18-06-2021 from the Office of the Superintending Engineer, C.O.I., P.W.D., Panaji.

The Officer at Sr. No. 3 above, shall draw his pay and allowances w.e.f. 24-05-2021 from the Office of the Superintending Surveyor of Works, SW-I (R&B), Design Cell, PWD, Altinho, Panaji-Goa.

Smt. Rashmi Mayenkar, Assistant Surveyor of Works, presently posted in Div. XXIII, PWD, Bicholim shall hold the additional charge to the post of Assistant Engineer, DRDA (North), Panaji, vice Shri Sanjay Perni, AE transferred.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

U. P. Parsekar, Principal Chief Engineer & ex officio Addl. Secretary (PWD).

Panaji, 10th August, 2021.

Department of Revenue

Order

No. 35/2/2013-RD-3983

In exercise of the powers conferred by Clause (b) of sub-section (1) of Section 9 of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899 (Act No. 2 of 1899), as in force in the State of Goa, the Government of Goa hereby permits the Life Insurance Corporation of India, Goa Divisional Office, Panaji (hereinafter referred to as the "LIC Goa") to pay consolidated stamp duty of Rs. 15,00,000/- (Rupees Fifteen lakhs only) and Rs. 10,00,000/- (Rupees Ten lakhs only) chargeable on sums to be insured in the insurance policies issued by its offices in the State of Goa, with effect from 1st January, 2021 upto 31st December, 2021 in lieu of affixing stamps upon individual insurance policies, subject to the following conditions, namely:-

- (a) In case the stamp duty chargeable on the insurance policies issued during the above mentioned period falls short of the stamp duty consolidated herein and paid to the Government, the excess consolidated stamp duty shall be adjusted for the next calendar year of 2022.
- (b) In case the stamp duty chargeable on the insurance policies issued during the above period exceeds the stamp duty consolidated herein and paid to the Government, the balance amount due towards the stamp duty shall be paid to

the Government Treasury by LIC Goa latest by the first week of January, 2022.

- (c) A detailed report of the total stamp duty charged on the sums insured in the insurance policies issued by the offices of the LIC Goa in the State of Goa, during the above period shall be submitted to the Secretary (Revenue), Revenue Department, Government of Goa on or before 31-12-2021.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Sudin A. Natu, Under Secretary (Revenue-I).

Porvorim, 10th August, 2021.

Raj Bhavan

Order

No. GS/GU/3/87-Vol.VI/80

In accordance with Statute SA-6(2)f(i) of the Goa University, I, hereby order that Prof. Malapathi K. Janarthanam, Professor of Department of Botany, Goa University, shall perform the duties of the Vice-Chancellor, consequent upon the expiry of the term of office of Prof. Varun Sahni, until further orders or until a new Vice-Chancellor assumes office.

2. Prof. Varun Sahni shall hand over the charge to Prof. Malapathi K. Janarthanam on 18th August, 2021 (afternoon).

P. S. Sreedharan Pillai, Governor of Goa & Chancellor of Goa University.

Raj Bhavan, 17th August, 2021.

Department of Town and Country Planning
Office of the Chief Town Planner (Admn.)

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Order

No. 1/3/TCP (Part File)/2017-19/1273

Shri Yugandaraj V. Redkar, Deputy Town Planner presently deputed at Goa Real Estate Regulatory Authority (RERA) and also holding additional charge at Town and Country Planning Department, Headquarters, Panaji is hereby directed to report to Member Secretary, North Goa Planning and Development Authority for assisting him in connection with preparation of ODPs for various planning areas. He shall carry out the work at North Goa PDA in addition to his work at Goa RERA.

James Mathew, Chief Town Planner (Administration).

Panaji, 2nd August, 2021.

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Department of Women & Child
Development

Directorate of Women & Child Development

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Notification

No. 2-109(12)-2021/DW&CD/3109

The Government on recommendation of Selection Committee constituted under Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Model Rules, 2016 (Rule 87) read with relevant provisions of Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 (Section 4) herewith constitutes Juvenile Justice Board, North Goa and South Goa given below w.e.f. 27-08-2021. The Juvenile Justice Board for North Goa District and South Goa District shall take over/hand over complete charge on or before 27-08-2021.

Member Juvenile Justice Board, North Goa

Sr. No.	Name & address of the candidates	Designation
1.	Judicial Magistrate of the First Class, North Goa	— Principal Magistrate.

1	2	3
2.	Surendra Shenvi Kerkar, Vision Park, "A" Bldg., Flat No. S-1, behind Raikar Hospital, Tonca, Caranzalem, Panaji-Goa 403002	— Member.
3.	Melinda Conceicao D'Souza, H. No. 1, Fransoms Villa, Curca P. O. Goa Velha, Ilhas-Goa	— Member.

Member Juvenile Justice Board, South Goa

Sr. No.	Name & address of the candidates	Designation
1.	Judicial Magistrate of the First Class, South Goa	— Principal Magistrate.
2.	Milly Andrade, H. No. 154, Vidhyanagar, Borda, Margao-Goa	— Member.
3.	Advin Nikhu Barreto, H. No. 281, Bathem, Sadolxem, Canacona, South Goa	— Member.

1. The tenure of Juvenile Justice Board for North Goa and South Goa shall be 3 years to be reckoned w.e.f. 27-08-2021.
2. The non-official members are entitled to a sitting allowance of Rs. 1500/- per sitting per day subject to fulfilment of other conditions. There will be no separate TA/DA.
3. The Juvenile Justice Board for North Goa and the Juvenile Justice Board South Goa shall have one day sittings every week on Thursday and Tuesday respectively, which can be extended if required as per case pendency.
4. The Juvenile Justice Board, North Goa and South Goa shall have office/sitting in the premises of the Apna Ghar, Mercedes, Tiswadi, Goa.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Goa.

Deepali Naik, Director & ex officio Joint Secretary (Women & Child Development).

Panaji, 23rd August, 2021.

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